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Sludge settling and thickening apparatus.

Title (de)

Dekanter und Eindicker für Schlämme.

Title (fr)

Décanteur épaississeur de boue.

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Abstract (en)

A sludge decanter thickener comprises a compaction chamber for compacting the sludge by means of a helical screw discharging the compacted sludge through a hole provided with an adjustable diaphragm. The decanter is characterized in that the screw comprises at the end thereof an axial nose (4) arranged through the discharge hole (6) and cooperating with the diaphragm (5) to close said hole in the absence of sludge. The invention applies to the processing of fluid sludges charged or not with fibrous materials.

Abstract (fr)

L'invention est relative à un décanteur épaississeur de boue comprenant une chambre de compactage de la boue à l'aide d'une vis hélicoïdale refoulant la boue compactée au travers d'un orifice muni d'un diaphragme réglable. Le décanteur est caractérisé en ce que la vis comporte à son extrémité un nez axial (4) disposé au travers de l'orifice d'évacuation (6) et coopérant avec le diaphragme (5) pour obturer ledit orifice en l'absence de boue. L'invention s'applique au traitement des boues fluides chargées ou non de matières fibreuses.

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